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SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 737
By Graves

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Tyler Walpale, 2002 Co-Salutatorian of Jo Byrns High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Tyler Walpale is one such exceptional student who was recently named Co-Salutatorian of the 2002 graduating class at Jo Byrns High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Mr. Walpale has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, Tyler Walpale has earned numerous awards during his high school career in honor of his considerable personal excellence; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Walpale is an active member of his school and has made numerous contributions to his community; and

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WHEREAS, he is a highly respected leader among his peers, and he has served as Class President and Beta Club President; was a Boys' State Representative, and attended the Holocaust Conference; and

WHEREAS, his noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his family, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Walpale's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success as a student at the University of Tennessee in Chattanooga and throughout his life; and

WHEREAS, his dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, That we hereby commend and honor Tyler Walpale, 2002 Co-Salutatorian of Jo Byrns High School, on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him our best wishes for much happiness and every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.